

**PATENT**

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Examiner: **Ramsey, J.C.**

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Title: **DEVICE FOR SEALING AND/OR  
PROTECTING CONSTRUCTION  
OPENINGS**

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

**10 July 2009**

Commissioner for Patents  
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The following is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated 18 June 2009 from Examiner Jeremy C. Ramsey of Art Unit 3634.

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## STATUS

This patent application is pending.

Claims 1-16 are pending and have been rejected in an Office Action having a Mail Date of 11/13/2008.

Applicant filed a Response And Amendment dated 21 April 2009 along with the appropriate Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee.

A Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment was mailed on 18 June 2009.

## SUMMARY OF FEES DUE

**1. No Extension of Time Necessary.**

Applicant has been given until 18 July to respond to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment and this response is being filed within that time period.

**2. No Additional Fees Necessary.**

No extension of time fee, additional claims fee, or other fees are due.